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Sir:

With reference to the filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office of an application for patent in the name(s) of:

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entitled: AN APPARATUS INCORPORATING ELECTRONIC-PARTS-IMPLEMENTING BOARD AND A METHOD FOR INCORPORATING ELECTRONIC-PARTS-IMPLEMENTING BOARD

\_\_\_ Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9(f) is claimed and the amounts shown in parentheses below have been employed.

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X  Specification

X  14 Claims(s) (including 2 independent claim(s))

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X  Certified copy of each of the following to substantiate the claim for priority:

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Respectfully submitted,

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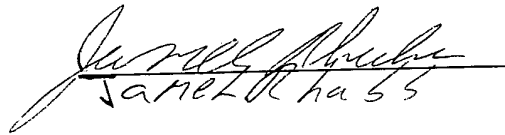
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